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Applicants : MARLEN A. SULAMANIDZE ET AL.

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Alexandria, VA 22313

AMENDMENT UNDER 37 C.F.R. 1.116

Sir:

In response to the Office action dated August 20, 2008,
having a shortened statutory period for response set to expire
November 20, 2008, please amend the above-identified application
as follows.

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims
which begins on page 2 of this paper.

Remarks/Arguments begin on page 5 of this paper.